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HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER
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NOTICE

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING
of the Members will be held on
THURSDAY, the 23rd April, 1912, at
4 P.M., in the Chamber Room, St. George's
Building, Chater Road, Hongkong, for the
purpose of nominating a Member of the
Chamber for appointment to the Legislative
Council.

Notice is given of the names of Candidates
and of their Proposers and Seconders
to be lodged with the Secretary at least 45
hours before the time appointed for holding
the General Meeting.

By Order,

E. A. M. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

Hongkong, April 20, 1912. 549

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GENERAL MEETING of SHARE
HOLDERS will be held at the Company's
Offices, St. George's Building, on SATUR-
DAY, the 4th MAY, 1912, at 12 o'clock
Noon, for the purpose of presenting the
REPORT of the DIRECTORS, together
with a STATEMENT of ACCOUNTS to
29th February, 1912, and electing DIRECT-
ORS and AUDITORS.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
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By Order of the Board of Directors,

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Hongkong, April 17, 1912. 544

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Hongkong, April 16, 1912. 528

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Hongkong, April 20, 1912. 547

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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Hongkong, April 22, 1912. 563

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Hongkong, April 22, 1912. 564

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On View from Sunday, the 6th inst.

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Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 20, 1912. 564

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INDIA UNDER BRITISH RULE

Speaking of India under British rule, a

well-known missionary now in England

asked whether they had ever realized that colour was sacramental. Black was the symbol of incobriderance, white of mastery, brown of intellectuality. The people of India but thought before action. The effect of British rule in India had been to give three things, viz., external security, reclaimed lands, and internal peace. To teach the Mohammedan-Hindoo peoples, both strong forces, with equally strong proprie, the English came as a training and remodelling force. One blessing the British had given to India was the increasing recognition of the individual in Indian society. One of the cardinal principles of the civilisation represented by British rule was that the character of man, which he should be educated to, was the development of the military system, the introduction of British commercial methods was only the application of the best implements of the old eastern civilisation and gradually subduing it. India was in the middle stage, and the position was worthy of the best efforts of the English people in the evangelisation of India.

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Hongkong, April 19, 1912.

EUROPEANS AND EURASIANS IN
INDIA.

An Educational Propaganda.

Some months ago (writes Author in the "Manchester Guardian") I tried, in this column, to direct attention to the effort being made to raise a quarter of a million sterling, half in this country and half in America, for the establishment of a Christian University in China. Now I want to draw attention to a somewhat similar effort for the education of the Eurasian and resident European community in India. There is, it is true, no talk of founding a university. The £100,000 which is asked for is for nothing so ambitious as a great university, but for the simplest necessities of education. But the fact that the needs which it is sought to supply are simpler and more elementary is in itself a plus for more and not less, sympathy for the present movement.

The cause is also exceptionally well served by its writers: I have not seen a more telling pamphlet than the small brochure, by Mary Bordon Turner (I do not know whether she should be described as Mrs. or Miss Turner) entitled "An alien in our country." And all the other pamphlets and leaflets which I have seen present the case with singular force and moderation. But, alas! a public meeting is a thing from which it is always not merely possible but easy to stay away; and pamphlets can be read and forgotten, or consigned unread to the waste-paper basket. And so even a committee as influential as that which has been got together, and which has received the special and cordial benediction of the King on its work, may fail to arouse popular interest. Yet those for whose benefit the effort is being made are deserving of all that we can do for them.

There is possibly no class of men on whom writers of all shades of opinion have more delighted to cast ridicule than the Eurasians. Yet surely we can invert the usual proverb and say that, if pity is near akin to contempt, contempt often has its roots in what should really call out sincere pity and sympathy. The possibilities which lie hid in the 300,000 Eurasians of India have been hinted at by Mr. Kipling in his story, "His Change in Life," where he declares that the East will never really understand the West, nor the West the East, till this small and despised community throws up a really great prose-writer or poet to interpret each to the other. And whether it is with respect to our social and economic ideals and standards of judgement or our ethical and religious beliefs, it must surely be obvious that there could be no more powerful missionary agent than the Eurasian community if it were properly educated. To allow such a weapon, ready to our hands for much of the most important work, to lie and rust, while we ourselves are impotent to do what would be not only possible but easy for them, is surely the height of folly.

And if the Eurasians who share our blood have a claim on us, surely the Indian residents of pure European descent have a yet more powerful one. The richer members of the Anglo-Indian community send their children home to be educated, and themselves look forward to ending their days at home. It is for the worst paid, but not the least valuable, members of the community which has gained for us, and now holds, this wonderful jewel of Empire that the committee pleads. They ought not to plead in vain. More especially is it in Manchester that the appeal should meet a response. It is not necessary to labour the point; the close connection of interests and of intercourse between Manchester and India is a commonplace with us all.

And now, one word on an aspect of the subject which, if left untouched upon, may provide an opportunity for misunderstanding. The committee is composed of men of all denominations. Is it the object of the members of the committee to make India over, bound hand and foot, to an undenominational type of Christianity? Can loyal Churchmen, who have an undenominational religion, as a denial of the vital Christianity, support the efforts of the committee? Let me conclude with a quotation from a speech of the Bishop of Calcutta which should surely be final:

"And now, lately, in regard to the principles of our co-operation with non-Anglicans, I do entreat my fellow-Churchmen to go as far as they can with us in this matter. We are not doing or proposing anything that approaches undenominationalism; we are not altering the character of any Church school. Our union is a union of schools and of school managers, not of churches. And of schools and school managers it is a union only for certain purposes—for finance, not for control; for external arrangements, not internal. Our common action stops so far as we have undertaken anything in the classroom, now, it does not approach the school chapel, or the classroom, it may bring funds and equipment, but not curriculum or regulation."

Given now that of all the minor and major difficulties which are likely to arise in the execution of the scheme, the most serious is that of the religious character of the schools, it is



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Antioch, L. Liverpool April 27.

Bellerophon, L. Kobe April 24.

Cachia, L. S. P. April 14.

Cyclone, L. S. P. April 26.

Dardanus, L. Samarang April 2.

Dionysus, L. H. K. March 20.

Ismene, L. Home April 20.

Laertes, L. Home April 26.

Macdonald, L. S. H. April 25.

Patroclus, L. Home April 18.

Palau, L. Liverpool April 7.

Perseus, L. Canal O. April 9.

Priam, A. H. K. April 28.

Prometheus, L. Canal O. April 16.

Shuster, P. Canal O. April 2.

Talitha, L. Tacoma April 13.

Tenebris, L. H. K. April 13.

Thetis, L. S. P. April 8.

Tydeus, L. Liverpool April 13.

CHINA MURKIN, S. N. C.

Astyanax, A. Home March 15.

Athena, P. Canal H. April 15.

Hydro, P. Canal O. April 15.

Kemmis, L. Tacoma April 17.

Mammon, P. Canal H. April 19.

Moyane, P. Canal H. April 19.

Nelens, L. S. P. April 10.

Ningchow, L. S. H. April 27.

Paking, L. Liverpool April 5.

Pingyue, L. Yhama April 29.

Protoclaia, L. Manila April 23.

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Awa Maru, L. H. K. for S. Pore April 23.

Hirama Maru, A. Port Said from Marseilles April 14.

Hitachi Maru, A. Kobe from Yhama April 25.

Iyo Maru, A. Colombo for S. Pore April 25.

Iwah Maru, A. Yhama from S. Pore April 25.

Kamakura Maru, L. Seattle April 23.

Kaga Maru, L. Colombo for S. Pore April 26.

Kamo Maru, L. Europe April 26.

Kawachi Maru, L. S. P. April 13.

Kiano Maru, A. H. K. from S. Pore April 24.

Kisan Maru, L. Yhama for Seattle April 24.

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Nubia, P. Canal H. April 18.

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Tonkin, A. Home March 12.

Touraine, A. Marseilles April 23.

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Brasilia, P. Canal O. April 11.

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Dortmund, A. Hamburg April 10.

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Saxonia, A. Home March 29.

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that in the country districts there are many who have not loyalty enough to the People's Republic to employ scissors to cut away the sign of former servility to the Manchus.

Whilst we are on this question we might refer to an incident reported two days ago in Canton. There resides in that city an aged gentleman who was a devoted adherent to the Manchu rule, but because he submitted to the Republic he was allowed to live in peace and at the same time keep his queue. He was able to preserve this adoration to his head because he seldom went outside his own courtyard. A few days ago he was compelled to traverse some of the principal streets, but when passing through Sheung Man Tai hooligans seized him and there and then cut off his queue. This outrage was perpetrated in the middle of the street. The old man was dreadfully distressed, and nothing would satisfy him but he must at once go to a barber's shop and order a false queue, which he has attached to his native cap; and so his soul is comforted.

As one reads these sumptuous edicts and incidents such as the above, one wonders what after all has become of the so-called freedom of the people. One wonders where the freedom of the individual comes in when an Edict compelling the removal of queues can be promulgated, for if the new President issued it nothing is clearer than that the people's inherent right to individual liberty has been infringed.

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW.
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THE LIBERTY OF THE SUBJECT.

NOTWITHSTANDING the many cares and worries of the Imperial Government at Peking the high officials in the metropolis have time to attend to things that do not strike outsiders as being very important at the present crisis. Just recently it appears the Governor-General of Canton received a despatch from the north, emanating apparently in the first instance from the President, in which the question of the queue is dealt with at much length. Of course the usual references to the cruelty of the Manchus in forcing the Chinese to assume the queue, 250 years ago, are given and a list of those who suffered death rather than submit to wearing the appendage is referred to also. Then the message alludes to the fact that foreigners have laughed at the adornment, holding it in derision, after which we strike quite a new idea, and that is that the Chinese now hold the queue to be a source of danger to health. On that account, therefore, it must go.

It is now laid down in Peking that within twenty days every queue must be removed or severe punishment will be meted out, though what the punishment would consist of is not stated. In addition, it is pointed out that in some places whilst the queue has been removed, the preference for shaving the head still remains after the fashion of the olden style. It is affirmed that this is not pleasing to the eye, and therefore should be discontinued.

The purport of the edict is to be published throughout the provinces, and the several Governor-General must take steps to promulgate the law to all under them so that it may be known and obeyed throughout China.

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that in the country districts there are many who have not loyalty enough to the People's Republic to employ scissors to cut away the sign of former servility to the Manchus.

Whilst we are on this question we might refer to an incident reported two days ago in Canton. There resides in that city an aged gentleman who was a devoted adherent to the Manchu rule, but because he submitted to the Republic he was allowed to live in peace and at the same time keep his queue. He was able to preserve this adoration to his head because he seldom went outside his own courtyard. A few days ago he was compelled to traverse some of the principal streets, but when passing through Sheung Man Tai hooligans seized him and there and then cut off his queue. This outrage was perpetrated in the middle of the street. The old man was dreadfully distressed, and nothing would satisfy him but he must at once go to a barber's shop and order a false queue, which he has attached to his native cap; and so his soul is comforted.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

It is believed that the arrest of a man named Daniel Callahan at St. Louis clears up the disappearance, in February, 1911, of over £20,000 worth of pearls from the state-room of a Mrs. Drummond on board the steamer the "America".

By the French War Office an order has been issued forbidding officers and military aviation pupils for the present to make flights on monoplanes. The order is due to the belief that the lack of upper armament has been responsible for numerous casualties.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The United Services Gazette, on March 21, devoted its illustrated leading article to a detailed account of the life and career of Sir Frederick Lugard.

At a meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday Mr. E. D. C. Wolff on behalf of the Board extended a welcome to the new member (Mr. Chan Kai Ming), and regretted the departure of Mr. Lau Chu Pak.

The meeting of the General Chamber of Commerce on Thursday is to elect a representative on the Legislative Council, the Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewitt's period of six years' service being about to expire. We imagine that the Chamber will unanimously re-elect him, if he care to stand.

COLLISION AT SEA.

The "Cambridge" Runs Into "Arabien".

This morning the Danish steamer "Arabien" came into Hongkong Harbour and reported having been rather badly damaged as the result of being run into by the British steamer "Cambridge" early on Monday morning, while about 300 miles from Hongkong.

It appears that the "Cambridge", which was chartered to carry coal to Shanghai by Messrs. Blackhead and Co., left here on Saturday afternoon last and while in a fog on Monday afternoon at about 3 o'clock she struck the "Arabien" broadside on in the aft of the ship, inflicting a huge dent which extended from considerably above the water-line practically down to the keel of the vessel.

The plates were not actually penetrated, but as a result of the impact the steamer began to take water and No. 3 hold was soon partially flooded. The "Arabien" was on the run from Macti to Hongkong. The collision took place in a fog.

The damage, however, was not sufficiently serious to prevent the "Arabien" from continuing on her journey, and she arrived, as stated, this morning, mooring at the harbour of the Sun Yat Sen Refinery at East Point. Here she will remain until her cargo has been taken out, when she will go into dry dock for repairs.

The "Cambridge", which was in command of Capt. Skelton, was not damaged to any appreciable extent, and was able to resume her run to Shanghai without interruption.

The Court of Enquiry into the collision between the "Cambridge" and the "Arabien" seems to me to be very, very, altogether too severe. The judge had apparently quite made up his mind what the sentence was to be, but then he was shown that he had been overruled.

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SUN TAT SEN IN HONGKONG.

By the Chinese Merchants' chamber Tsinlung, the sun arrived in Hongkong this morning. Dr. Sun Yat-sen, the one man above all others who prepared the way for the Revolution in China, and the one on whom fell the honour of being first President of the Chinese Republic.

Great preparations were made by the Chinese community to honour their distinguished countrymen, especially so since he is a Southerner. The town was ablaze with flags of the new order, though there was still lacking any uniformity in the matter of design, at least five different emblems being in evidence.

The commercial community also made elaborate arrangements to entertain the ex-President, the various sections electing four representatives each to meet him at a reception arranged at the Yu On Club at West Point; another reception was arranged to be held at the Chingto Club in Queen's Road Central.

These arrangements, however, had to be abandoned, as Dr. Sun did not come ashore at all. Instead, he remained on board the Tsinlung alongside the C.M.S.N. wharf, and this afternoon received calls from the representatives of the commercial bodies to the number of several hundred.

The cruiser Po Puk, at the time of writing, is lying near by waiting to convey Dr. Sun up to Canton, where he was represented by several distinguished artists then playing in Hongkong. The onlookers were treated to one of the best games seen in Hongkong in recent years. Great interest was shown, not only by supporters of the respective teams but also by many civilians present. Being an Inter-Regimental fixture great keenness and rivalry was displayed by both sides. The general opinion was that the abolition of the "outside" rule has done much to improve the standard of play. The position of No. 1 previously considered (wrongly) of small importance is now quite sought after.

NO. ONE CHUKKEE.

The outstanding player in this chukke was Agg at back and Jervois, No. 1, for the K.O.Y.L.I. and Brierley, No. 2, for the R.A. Keen took place and Spicer shot a good goal for the R.A.s.

NO. TWO CHUKKEE.

A goal was scored at the nullah end by Hughes from a good centre by Kent. Thickness broke his stick. A penalty was given to the K.O.Y.L.I. owing to Brierley badly crossing Agg. The penalty was taken by Hughes and well stopped by Brierley. There was a good run by Brierley and Thickness, the latter just failing to score. Then Jervois made a good run. The K.O.Y.L.I. seemed better mounted, with perhaps the exception of Brierley. Following good play by Hughes, Kent scored.

NO. THREE CHUKKEE.

The fact that the arranged programme in Hongkong had to be departed from caused great disappointment among the Chinese, especially as it was first announced that Dr. Sun was to leave for Canton on the 23rd of January. We have now received any news of the local Chinese. Those feelings, however, were substantially modified when the announcement of Dr. Sun's intention to receive guests on board was made known.

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The seventh annual report of the Hongkong Horticultural Society, which was presented at the annual meeting at the City Hall yesterday evening, referred to the annual flower and vegetable show which was held on March 1st and 2nd, and stated that the change of site was made with the idea that a more accessible position would lead to a better attendance. Bad weather prevented anything like an exact comparison being made, but the committee's hopes were not realized. Besides those who entered with members tickets, about 600 people paid for admission. The winter was a bad one, especially for the flowers, the month of January being the dullest on record at the Observatory.

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The trials of the Society were due to the following for presenting prizes or contributing to the prize fund:

H. E. Sir Frederick Lugard, H. E. Major General Anderson, Mr. J. Barton, Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, Mr. A. Bryer, Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G., Mr. Chos Po Sien, Mr. P. W. Goldring, Mr. Ho Fook, Mr. Wong Kam Fook, Mr. H. W. Looker,

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THE "TITANIC"
ENQUIRY.REMOVING MISAPPRE-
HENSIONS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

Giving evidence before the Senate Committee of investigation into the Titanic disaster, Mr. Franklin, agent for the White Star Line in New York, denied that he conferred on Monday morning with the Marconi officials or exercised a wireless censorship, or attempted to spirit away members of the crew of the Titanic before they could be examined by the Committee. His only object in returning them to England was to prevent them falling into evil hands. He testified that the life-saving appliances on board were in excess of those required by law, and expressed the opinion that the disaster was unavoidable and that it would be absurd to hold any individual responsible. The Titanic did not carry a searchlight. It was believed that five or six of the ship's watertight compartments were opened, but that was pure guesswork. The speed of the Titanic was about four miles an hour below that of the Mauritania, and none of the White Star commanders had ever been given to understand that they were expected to break records. Mr. Franklin made an excellent impression on the Committee, the hostile members of which obviously changed their attitude as his examination progressed.

DISTRESS SIGNALS IGNORED.

Mr. Buxhall, the fourth officer of the Titanic, made a sensational statement to the effect that after the collision he concentrated his attention on the sending up of rockets to attract the attention of a ship directly ahead and about five miles distant. He said he noticed her mast and red side light. She was close enough to see the signal of distress. He saw no reply, but the Captain and some of the stewards apparently did.

This is the first mention of any vessel being within sight of the Titanic. The witness, describing the collision, said he felt a slight impact and he mounted the bridge from which he saw the iceberg faintly. It was about thirty feet high and grey in colour. The Captain sent him below to ascertain the extent of the damage. He found the mail room flooded and the sacks floating. The Captain then ordered out the lifeboats, but the people did not show much anxiety to enter.

THE BRITISH ENQUIRY.

Lord Mersey presides over the British court of inquiry, which will have the widest powers and sit immediately.

Mr. Buxton and Lord Mersey will have the title of Wreck Commissioners, and will be assisted by assessors. The Court will be empowered to require the attendance of passengers and crew and will grant poor witnesses a maintenance allowance. The White Star has undertaken to produce every member of the crew summoned.

FUNDS GROWING.

The Funds being raised on behalf of sufferers through the loss of the Titanic now total over £170,000.

H.M. the Queen of Norway has given a hundred guineas.

IRISH SYMPATHY.

Mr. John Redmond made a feeling reference to the loss of the Titanic at the Irish National Convention.

A resolution of sympathy was carried at present standing amid silence.

SIBERIAN GOLDFIELD
OUTRAGE.

INDIGNATION IN RUSSIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

Reuter's correspondent at St. Petersburg states that the affair on the Lena goldfields is being "echoed" through various parts of Russia.

Telegrams from Kieff state that all hands employed at the South Russian Machinery Works have struck in sympathy with the Lena miners, and that a mass meeting was dispersed.

The streets are being patrolled by Cossacks.

The Nicolai Shipbuilding Works has also struck off as a sign of protest for the miners, while Novo's works in the same port are also

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DARDANELLES
DISPUTE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

Reuter's correspondent at St. Petersburg telegraphs that Russia will protest to the Porte against the closing of the Dardanelles, which is contrary to International agreements.

LATER.

Reuter's Constantinople correspondent wires that a friendly Russian Note points out that immediate danger in the Dardanelles has been removed and recommends re-opening. It is believed that the Turkish Ministers to-morrow will decide to remove the mines.

THE WAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

Reuter's correspondent in Rome wires that a telegram from Cairo states that Enver Bey, the Turkish Commander in Tripoli, died yesterday morning at Marut from a wound sustained in recent fighting.

It appears that the Turks seek to conceal the death until the end of the war, and meanwhile announce that the Sultan has created him a Pasha, and recalled him to Constantinople to recuperate.

Enver Bey replaces him provisionally pending the arrival of Eyub Bey to take the Chief Command.

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Reuter's correspondent at Berlin telegraphs that in the Reichstag the Imperial Chancellor, introducing the Armament Bills, delivered a staidly moderate speech. He said that there was nothing in the European situation to cause uneasiness, but military power was useful to peacefully preserve Germany's position and interests. His value as a friend and ally was measured by the power of her defence. Moreover, popular demand proved the necessity for the Bills. He was convinced that no great Power desired war, but owing to the increased weight of popular opinion the danger of war arising through popular agitation was greater than ever. He deprecated alarmist agitations which disturb national life and avail nothing. He assured the Reichstag that the Government in meeting the expenditure entailed did not intend to depart from sound finance, as no army could operate successfully without the support thereof.

DISTRICT OF
PATRICIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

Reuter's Toronto correspondent states that the Premier of Ontario has announced that with the consent of H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught and of Princess Patricia, the new territory added to Ontario by a boundary settlement shall be called The District of Patricia.

In consenting, the Princess said she was glad to have her name associated with an increase in Ontario's prosperity.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

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Despatches received from the Mawson Expedition show that already discoveries of great importance have been made. Mawson has disproved the existence of "Claire Land" and confirmed the existence of "Tennant Land." He has also discovered numerous islands along the Great Barrier and charted much previously unknown coastline.

The "Telegraph" reports that the Nicoll Shipbuilding Works has also struck off as a sign of protest for the miners, while Novo's works in the same port are also

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THE TURF.

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For the City and Suburban Handicap, to be run at Epsom to-morrow, the probable starters are:—The Story (Makor), Mushroom (Rickaby), Lonavand (F. Wootton), Ultimus (Dongzhu), Saint Nat (Higge), Braxted (Winter), Eton Boy (Hewitt), Anchors (Piper), Moscato (Trigg), Atah (Whalley), Bachelor's Hope (Doyle), Chili (Huxley), Sandwort (Longhurst), Wise Simon (Stokes), and Lance Chest (Ringstead).

The betting is as follows:—6 to 1 agt. Mushroom, 13 to 2 agt. Ultimus, 8 to 4 agt. Moscato, 9 to 1 agt. Lonavand, 10 to 1 agt. Sandwort and The Story, 100 to 9 agt. Lance Chest.

METROPOLITAN STAKES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

The Great Metropolitan Stakes, run at Epsom to-day, resulted as follows:—Accurate, 1; Victory, 2; Human, 3.

Fifteen ran; Accurate won by three lengths, two lengths separating second and third.

The betting was 4 to 1 agt. the winner, 8 to 1 agt. Victory and 4 to 1 agt. Human.

Note:—Accurate, 5 yrs. ch. mare by Percheron-Accurate, won Lancashire Handicap last year. Victory, 5 yrs. b. colt by Victoria-Gaillard, won Derbyshire Plate last year and placed three times. Human, 4 yrs. ch. colt by King's Messenger-Stratford. Won Derby Handicap last year and placed four times. Eto. C.M.Y.

A SHANGHAI AFFAIR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, April 23.

Colonel Liu, Commander of the Dara to Dir Brigade, while attending a meeting of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce to discuss the disbandment of the corps, was arrested by the Municipal Police on leaving the hall.

He was handcuffed and locked up all day Sunday.

On Monday he was charged in the Mixed Court with returning from banishment, and the question of his expulsion was remitted for the consideration of the Consuls.

On Tuesday there was a prolonged meeting of the various Consuls, and to-day the accused was again brought up in the Mixed Court and sentenced to pay £5 fine of £400 and ordered to leave the increased weight of popular opinion the danger of war arising through popular agitation was greater than ever. He deprecated alarmist agitations which disturb national life and avail nothing. He assured the Reichstag that the Government in meeting the expenditure entailed did not intend to depart from sound finance, as no army could operate successfully without the support thereof.

Liu was at the head of 900 men, and it was feared at one time that there would be a riot.

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His Lordship—Can't it be a collateral contract?

Mr. Hind—My Lord. A collateral contract would be a contract which is not part of the main contract. The contract set up is a contract to pay principal and interest.

Mr. D'Alma—remarked that it was merely an attempt to wriggle out of interest.

Mr. Hind—It is exactly what I am raising. It got out of the interest because the interest was not payable.

Mr. Hind—stated that the right to interest had been endorsed over to the plaintiff.

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His Lordship—Ah, that may be so.

Mr. D'Alma—The assignment is with all incidents attached and includes interest.

The transfer of the husband was simply for the purpose of security. He is not sure as to value.

After full evidence, Mr. Hind said he admitted this note was given, but that there was provision whatever for the payment of interest. Delandain further said that collateral agreement with regard to most of the interest was never made. Defendants thought they had signed over to pay interest and accordingly paid. Assuming there was a collateral agreement for interest, there was no consideration for such an agreement. The consideration was a consideration for the use of the promissory note, and that consideration was also a collateral for the collateral agreement for interest. The contract was one individual contract and must be in writing. Before in order for the plaintiff to set a collateral agreement, there must be a consideration which was separable from the consideration for the promissory note. But even assuming there was good collateral agreement, the right on that agreement had not been endorsed over to the plaintiff; therefore he could not sue for that amount.

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STEAMERS
CHANGHAI, KOBE AND
YOKOHAMA
ERNEST-SIMONS, GIRARD. May 6, about 6 P.M.

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TRANSPORTING on the Co's Steamer at SINGAPORE to BAZAIS, at COLOMBO for
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CAPTAIN
HAIYANG Capt. J. W. Evans FRIDAY, 26th Apr., at 11 A.M.
HAICHENG Capt. W. C. Pasmore TUESDAY, 30th Apr., at 11 A.M.
HAITAN Capt. J. S. Roach FRIDAY, 3rd Apr., at 11 A.M.

FOR SWATOW AND RETURN

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HAIMUN Capt. A. H. Stewart SUNDAY, 28th April, at 10 A.M.
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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL
OUTWARD.March 26, *Kurochi Maru*, *Peking*,
China.March 29, *Lothian*, *Salem*.April 2, *Andalusia*, *Stettin*.April 9, *Bayern*, *Glenesk*, *Han*.Indramayo, *Perseus*, *Senna*, *Syria*.April 12, *Beverloo*, *Buelow*, *Fried*.Borneo, *Karawo*, *Meinam*.April 16, *Iron*, *Maru*, *Amman*, *Prom*.April 19, *Berlino*, *Dembigha*, *Nor*.

HOMEWARD.

March 29, *Diamond*.April 9, *Dumbea*, *Spica*, *India*.April 10, *Alvare*.April 13, *Monsoon*, *Pera*, *Tourane*.April 21, *Indra*, *Spica*, *Africa*.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Mats.*St. B. S. S. B.* *Carries* *Mail*.German *Mail* with dates from Berlin on

Sunday, the 3rd April, and may be

expected here on or about Thursday,

the 2nd May.

MACAU.Per *Sui Tui*, at 1.15 p.m., on Thursday,

the 25th April.

SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.Per *Chin*, at 3 p.m., on Thursday,

the 25th April.

SWATOW.Per *Michael Jensen*, at 5 p.m., on

Thursday, the 25th April.

TAIWAN.Per *Empress of India*, at 7 a.m., and was to

arrive here on the same day for

Nagasaki, where she is due to arrive

at 7 a.m. on Thursday, the 26th April.

Other Vessels.The *Austrian Lloyd's a.s. E. F. Ferdinand* left *Singapore* for this port on the 20th April, and is due here on the 25th April, a.m.The *A. & M. Line's a.s. Wilson Hall* left *Singapore* on Friday, the 19th April, and is due here on or about Thursday, the 25th April, a.m.The *P. & O. S. N. Co.'s a.s. Nore* is ex-pected to arrive at *Colombo* on the 1st May, at noon.The *P. I. S. N. Co.'s a.s. Mafura* is duehere on the 28th April from *Japan*.The *R. & A. a.s. Eastern*, from *Sydney*,etc., left *Port Darwin* on the 21stApril, for this port, via *Timor* and*Manila*.The *M. S. S. Co.'s a.s. Nore* from *San**Panama* sailed from *Yokohama* onthe 22nd April en route for *Hongkong*, and is due to arrive at this port on

26th April.

The *D. L. a.s. Cedars* left *Sydney* on

Wednesday, the 1st April, at noon,

and may be expected here on or about

the 3rd May.

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SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

April 23.

Glenloch, British steamer, 2,300, Graves-

Rangoon April 3 and Mabul April 21.

Balust.—CUNIBER.

Phenomenal, British steamer, 1,600, Jap-

H. Scott, Seaton April 19, General.

Koto Maru, Japanese steamer, 2,830, Cowi-

Mike April 17, Coal.—GILMAN & CO.

Jelvie, Italian steamer, 2,884, G. Behito-

Kobu and Moli April 17, General.

Carlowitz & Co.

April 24.

Oriental, British steamer, 3,085, A. J.

Valentini, Liverpool and Singapore April 19.

Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

Ching Maru, Japanese steamer, 7,250, Wan-

Woodoo Gruen, San Francisco March 27,

and Shanghai April 21, Mails and General.

Toyo Kisen Kaisha.

Kilou Maru, Japanese steamer, 5,277, F.

E. C. G. London and Singapore April 10,

General.—NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Bendix, British steamer, 2,600, Wm. Haase,

London and Singapore April 18, General.

Giese, Linzsch & Co.

Elstermark, Russian steamer, 4,175,

Jidem, Odessa and Singapore April 12,

General.—MITSUBISHI & CO.

Daijin Maru, Japanese steamer, 800, D.

Fachigami, Tamsui, via Amoy and Swatow

April 23, General.—D. S. K. & C.

Singer, British steamer, 1,047, F.

Jameson, Haiphong and Echou April 23, General

and Rice.—BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

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DEPARTURES.

April 24.

Kutang, for Shanghai and Kobe.

Montevideo, for Singapore and New York.

Kaiyo Maru, for Swatow and Foochow.

Si Kiong, for Haiphong.

Hidemitsu Maru, for Kolo.

Tulung, for Hoioi.

Lander Schiff, for Bangkok.

Graf Diderichsen, for Haiphong.

Johanne, for Macao.

Kuangtsa, for Shanghai.

Haimar, for Swatow.

Atsutsu Maru, for London and Antwerp.

CREDITS.

Oriental, for Shanghai.

Wing Maru, for Kuchinotzu.

Sikidoro, for Shanghai and Yokohama.

Lenglo, for Amoy and Rangoon.

Hongkong, for Pakhoi and Haiphong.

Tachachus, for Saigon.

Kigoku Maru, for Kolo.

Prins, for Shanghai and Hankow.

Yi, for Chefoo and Newchwang.

Capt. A. F. Lucas, for San Francisco.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Chiyu Maru, for Honkong, from

San Francisco, Bishop